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- (1) An article entitled "Nanocomposite and High Anisotropy Media", By Christodoulides et al., published by Journal of Applied Physics, Vol., 87, No. 9, May 1, 2000, pp. 6938-6940. The abstract is attached.

- (2) An article entitled "Magnetic Recording Beyond the First 100 Years", By Speliotis, published by Journal of Magnetism and Magnetic Materials, 193, (1999), pp. 29-35. The abstract is attached.

- (3) An article entitled "Ordering of Island-like FePt L₁₀ Thin Films", By Shin et al., published by Applied Physics Letters, Vol. 80, No. 20, May 20, 2002, pp. 3802-3805. The abstract is attached.

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